

ANSWER THE CHARGES

Dunne Denies Calling Mayor
Schmitz a Graft

NO CONSPIRACY TO CONVICT

Change of Venue Question Comes Up
To-day—When That Has Been Set-
tled the Jury Will Then
Be Chosen.

San Francisco, May 22.—The case of Mayor Eugene Schmitz on trial upon a charge of extortion will proceed today. The prosecution filed last night the affidavits in answer to the ones submitted by Schmitz in applying for change of venue.

The affidavits of the prosecution contain a deposition from Judge Dunne denying that he had referred to Mayor Schmitz as a grafter. Formal denial is made also by Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Henry that a conspiracy exists among Rudolph Spreckels and others to convict Schmitz. The selection of a jury will follow the settlement of the question of a change of venue.

Assistant District Attorney Henry created surprise yesterday by announcing that the state has no present intention of asking the court to take the mayor into custody pending trial. Schmitz is at liberty under bonds aggregating \$50,000.

Before taking up the Schmitz hearing Judge Dunne has continued by consent for thirty days the case of perjury against Chief of Police Dinan, and the cases of conspiracy against Dinan and Abraham Ruef.

'FRISCO'S "COMMITTEE OF SEVEN" HAS RESIGNED

Spreckels and Henry Refused to Co-operate With It.

San Francisco, May 22.—The "Committee of Seven" appointed by the five commercial organizations of the power of Mayor Schmitz, with the latter's consent, in order to bring about some order in municipal affairs in consequence of a general disorganization and lack of harmony in the city government resulting from the sensational bribery graft exposures, resigned Monday night.

The reason assigned by the committee for withdrawing was that it had been unable to obtain cooperation of Rudolph Spreckels and Francis J. Henry, who are the head of the graft investigation.



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MAY LAUNCH CORTELYOU
BOOM HERE NEXT WEEK

Gossip Concerning Banquet to Be
Tendered Secretary at the Astor.

Washington, May 22.—Secretary Cortelyou's boom for the presidency probably will be launched at a banquet to be tendered him by postal officials next Wednesday at the Hotel Astor, New



GEORGE B. CORTELYOU.

Secretary of the treasury, who
has been secretary of commerce
and labor and postmaster general.

York. Postmaster Willcox has been instrumental in arranging for the banquet. While it is denied the affair has been arranged for the purpose of booming Mr. Cortelyou, politicians here think it is with the idea of bringing him into prominence as a presidential figure and impressing on the country that he has done important service as head of the post-office department.

NEW VENIRE MUST NOW BE CALLED IN HAYWOOD TRIAL.

Judge Adjourns The Court Until Thursday Afternoon.

Baise, Idaho, May 22.—John Whitlock a nurseryman, under examination a proposed juror No. 6 when the Haywood trial was resumed at 9:30 a. m. yesterday. Less than a score of spectators.

Charles S. Durran, leading counsel for the defense, received permission of the court temporarily to pass the examination of Whitlock, and then announced that the defense would use its sixth peremptory challenge to excuse John Fisher as No. 10. After the exercise of this challenge both state and defense had only four left, with only nine members of the special venire of one hundred to draw upon.

One by one the remaining takers were then bowed out because of their opinions, and finally at 10:45 the panel of the special venire of one hundred was exhausted. The court then ordered the sheriff to summon a new special venire of sixty and adjourned the trial until Thursday at 2 p. m.

HUMMEL IN PRISON IS NEAR COLLAPSE.

Convict No. 925 Too Ill to Do His Work
on Blackwell's Island.

New York, May 22.—Abraham Hummel was the most miserable prisoner in the Blackwell's Island penitentiary yesterday. He slept none his first night of confinement, and when the time for arising came yesterday morning Hummel was too weak to get up. Deputy Warden Murtha discovered Hummel prone on the cot just as he had stretched himself out the night before with his prison suit at the side of the bed. Hummel in a feeble voice said he would like the services of a physician. Dr. Warden examined him. Hummel said he did not care for any breakfast. He had not eaten any supper, either, and it looked as if a general physical breakdown had come. Hummel seemed to be a mere shadow, and it was considered probable that he would be removed to the hospital ward. None of his relatives had been notified of his collapse this morning, which may be only a temporary one.

Presbyterians May Dodge.

Columbus, O., May 22.—The committee on temperance of the Presbyterian General Assembly heard behind closed doors the pros and cons in the temperance controversy today. It may vote postponement for a year.

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NOT ONE HIT OFF FRASER

Barre-Montpelier Pitcher
Made a Record Yesterday

AGAINST CONCORD TEAM

Besides Shutting Them Out 10 to 0 He
Struck Out Eight and at the Bat
Made Two Double-Sackers—
Burlington Defeated.

Barre-Montpelier squeezed Manager Long's "lemons" from Concord until their sides touched yesterday afternoon at the Intercity park. "Lanky" John Fraser, pitching a not his game and shutting his opponents out, 10 to 0. After Fraser had plunked one of his speediest ones squarely on top of "Chocolate" Thompson's head, which blow would have laid out anybody but a man of Thompson's nationality, the rest of the visiting batters came up to bat trembling more than the few loyal fans in the cold on the bleachers. The cold wind had no effect apparently on "Lanky's" arm, and he put them over with such speed that the struggling Concordites simply guessed at it and swung their bat around. The result was that they failed to get a semblance of a hit throughout the nine innings of Fraser's terrific pitching and but four balls from their bat found their way into the outfield. Besides striking out eight men Fraser allowed but three passes to first and hit one man.

Wilson, a young pitcher, went into the box first for Concord and was pounded mercilessly by the local hitters. After they had batted in five cannot runs, including Harris' homer in the fourth, the young fellow scooted to the bench like a kicked pup. Finn then went into the box for the visitors and finished the inning and the game. Finn pitched better and allowed the locals but two more runs during the game.

Not once did the visitors see third base and but twice did they get as far as the second sack. Besides a home run the locals made four doubles and a total of 13 singles. Fraser kept up his batting record by getting two of the doubles and Clemons got one double and two singles.

Intercity Scores 10 Times.

Intercity made their first tallies in the second inning when they totaled three. Cotter walked, but was nipped at second on Ball's attempt to sacrifice. Ball went to third on a wild pitch and scored on Clemons' single. Fraser batted out a double, landing Clemons at third. Rudolph rolled one on the ground to first base and the basemen threw to the plate to catch Clemons. Thompson dropped the throw, but in running Clemons failed to touch the plate and while Thompson was running around after the ball and touching Clemons, Fraser sneaked in for a score. Shea then rapped out a single and scored Rudolph. Jennings filed out to center.

Clemons was the first up for the locals in the fourth and rapped out a double and went to third on Rudolph's single. After Fraser had gone out on an assist to first, Jennings sent out a double to left scoring Clemons. Shea was out on an assist to first. Monahan singled, scoring Jennings, and Harris then rapped out a four-sacker scoring Monahan with him. Pitcher Wilson then took to the tall timbers and Finn went into the box. Cotter ended the inning on a ground hit to second. With Finn in the box the visitors pulled together and played better ball. Through misplays the locals got one run each in the fifth and seventh innings. The score:

Intercity.	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Jennings, 2b.	4	1	1	4	4	1
Monahan, cf.	5	1	1	7	0	0
Harris, 3b.	5	1	2	2	1	0
Cotter, lf.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Ball, c.	5	1	1	8	0	0
Clemons, rf.	5	1	3	1	0	0
Fraser, p.	4	3	2	1	2	0
Rudolph, ss.	3	2	1	0	4	0
Shea, 2b.	4	0	2	8	0	1
Totals	38	10	13	27	11	2

Concord.	ab	r	h	po	a	e
O'Day, cf.	4	0	0	3	5	0
Hanscombe, lf.	3	0	1	1	0	0
Fisher, 3b.	3	0	1	1	5	1
Shen, 1b.	4	0	0	10	1	0
Clemons, c.	3	0	0	5	2	0
Karver, 2b.	3	0	0	2	1	0
Bigbie, rf.	2	0	0	0	0	0
McCarthy, ss.	3	0	0	2	1	1
Wilson, p.	1	0	0	1	0	1
Finn, p.	2	0	0	0	1	2
Totals	28	0	0	24	17	4

Score by Innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Summary.—Earned runs, 5; home runs, Harris; two-base hits, Jennings, Clemons, Fraser 2; stolen bases, Shea, Bigbie; left on bases, Concord 3; Intercity 9; sacrifice hit, Cotter; struck out, by Wilson 1, off Finn 2, off Fraser 3; hit by pitched ball, Thompson; wild pitches, Wilson 2; Finn 1; passed balls, Thompson 1; double plays, Fraser to Rudolph to Shea, Thompson to Shea; umpire, McCloud; time, 1 hr. 45 min.

Notes on the Game.

Fraser, Clemons and Harris are batting better than the 300 mark.

Concord has lost six straight and the locals have won six straight.

Fraser undoubtedly pitched the record game for the league season.

Official N. H. State league schedule cards were passed around to the fans as compliments of Manager Daley and his pool, billiards and bowling rooms at Montpelier.

First baseman Shea was in his position yesterday for the first time since he injured his knee. Though still lame he played good ball and added life to the B. M. team.

After Bill Thompson got his rap in the head he went to bat every time with his protector on. Bill got a good hand from the fans after the rap when he got up and went down to first.

Our next home game is on Memorial day, when we meet the Burlington bunch for the first time at the Intercity park. The game here comes in the afternoon and there will be something doing. We play at Burlington in the forenoon.

WHY HE DOES IT

"It isn't often that I have faith enough in the medicines put up by other people to be willing to offer to refund the money if it does not cure," said D. F. Davis, "The Druggist," to one of his many customers, "but I am glad to sell Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia on that plan."

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At Burlington.

Burlington, R. H. E.
K. Manchester 4 11 1
Batteries, Dobins and Delaney for Burlington; Grady and De Rolin for E. Manchester.

West Manchester at Laconia, cold weather.

Nashua at Franklin, cold weather.

N. H. League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Barre-Montpelier	6	0	1.000
Burlington	5	1	.833
W. Manchester	4	2	.667
Nashua	2	2	.500
Franklin	2	3	.400
E. Manchester	2	5	.286
Laconia	1	4	.200
Concord	0	6	.000

N. H. League Games Today.

West Manchester at East Manchester.

BASE BALL NOTES

Collins, last year a university of Vermont player, is now with the Burlington league team.

There is another team in the New Hampshire circuit whose franchise may be transferred elsewhere and Pittsburg is the city that will have the first chance to take the team over. President J. K. Milne has leased the subject to the base ball men of that city and action will be taken shortly.

The Amherst aggregation defeated Middlebury college at Middlebury Monday afternoon, 11 to 1, and did not have to throw on the high gear to do it either for the fielding of the college boys was very ragged. Stone made their only run on an error, Fisher's bounder to third and Harmon's single over short. Cobb struck out 10 men.

The university of Vermont base ball team left yesterday on its New England trip playing Amherst at Amherst today. Holy Cross at Worcester tomorrow, Brown at Providence Saturday. Dartmouth at Hanover Monday and Norwich Tuesday. An effort was made to arrange a game with Brown at Worcester for an open date, Friday, but this was not successful.

A COINCIDENCE.

Peculiar Combination of Events Related by Andrew Lang.

As to "the long arm of coincidence, it may be as long as is necessary. Nothing is impossible to coincidence. An instance of my own experience, said Andrew Lang, convinces me of this fact. I had been reading a foolish book, "Out of the Hurly Burly," and some of the rhymes ran in my head. They began:

Bury Bartholomew out in the woods
In a beautiful hole in the ground.

In the afternoon I drove with a party of friends, and we took the refreshment of tea at a house where there were several other guests, all unknown to me even by name. As two of these lived at a place on our homeward route, they accompanied us in our vehicle. As we passed a wood on a hillside one of these anonymous strangers said to me, "This is the burial place of the Murders of Glendhuhrac." I absently and automatically replied:

Bury Bartholomew out in the woods
In a beautiful hole in the ground.

A kind of chill blight settled on the party, though one of them tactfully asked me what poet I was quoting.

When we had set down our two strangers at their own home I was asked whether I knew the name of the gentleman on whom I had expended my poetical quotation? Of course I did not know, and of course his surname was Bartholomew, while, as he seemed in bad health, my citation had an air of brutal appropriateness. "Thus does fortune banter us," for Bartholomew is a most unusual name in Scotland.

An Oversight.

When Chapple got up the other morning he wandered around his apartments in his pretty pink pajamas, the very picture of woe.

"What's the matter, sir?" inquired his valet.

"I don't know, Alphonse," he groaned. "I passed a most unhappy night."

Alphonse looked him over carefully. "Oh, sir," he exclaimed, "I know what was the matter. The creases of your pajamas were not creased. You must be more careful, sir. Those I had prepared for you were hanging across the foot of the bed."—Bohemian Magazine.

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"CUBS" TIED WITH "GIANTS"

Great Race in the National
League is at Fever Heat

CHICAGO BEAT NEW YORK

In First Clash of the Two Star Teams
in the League at New York Yesterday—Boston Americans Now
Trail the League.

The first clash of the "big uns" in the National league on the New York grounds yesterday afternoon resulted in a victory for the Chicago Cubs over the Giants by a score of 3 to 2. This puts



MORDECAI BROWN.

the two teams on an even footing, each having a percentage of .825. From this time on the race will be a warm one and the present series particularly so. Philadelphia made within an ace of taking third position from Pittsburg by winning a game, 3 to 2, from the Pirates. The Boston Beaneaters clinched their hold



CHRISTY MATHEWSON.

on first place in the second division by routing the St. Louis team, 15 to 5. Brooklyn also won from Cincinnati and is almost out of the cellar championship. Through their defeat by Chicago yesterday 3 to 1, and through St. Louis' victory over New York, 3 to 0, the Boston Americans find themselves chucked down into last position, being three points below Washington, which team also gave Cleveland a victory by the score of 4 to 1. Detroit got shut out by the Athletics.

The opposing pitchers in the New York-Chicago National league game were Christy Mathewson and "Three-fingered" Brown, recognized as the premier slayers in their league. Mathewson allowed but seven hits, while Brown was hit for nine.

Yesterday's National League Games.
At Boston—Boston 15, St. Louis 5.
At New York—Chicago 3, New York 2.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 3, Pittsburg 2.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn 5, Cincinnati 2.

National League Standing.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	24	5	.828
New York	24	5	.828
Pittsburg	14	10	.583
Philadelphia	13	11	.537
Boston	12	16	.429
Cincinnati	9	18	.333
St. Louis	7	23	.233
Brooklyn	5	23	.185

Yesterday's American League Games.
At Chicago—Chicago 3, Boston 1.
At St. Louis—St. Louis 3, New York 0.

At Detroit—Philadelphia 3, Detroit 0.
At Cleveland—Cleveland 4, Washington 1.

American League Standing.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	21	10	.677
Cleveland	18	12	.600
Detroit	15	13	.536
New York	13	13	.500
Philadelphia	14	17	.447
St. Louis	11	19	.367
Washington	9	16	.360
Boston	10	18	.357

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AND THEN SAVED THE GAME

Besides Holding St. Lawrence Team Safely He Battled in Winning Score With a Two-base Hit—Game Went Twelve Innings.

Northfield, May 22.—A large crowd witnessed one of the most exciting games ever seen on the parade yesterday afternoon, when Norwich defeated St. Lawrence university of Canton, N. Y., in a 12-inning contest by the score of 10 to 9. The game from the start was fast and snappy and but few errors were made by either team. Both teams had on their batting tops, Norwich making 18 hits with a total of 27 bases, while the visitors got 19 with a total of 14. The feature of the game was the home run made by Watson of N. Y. with three men on bases. In the eighth inning Cole weakened, allowing the visitors four

runs. He was replaced by Reid, who held the visitors to four hits in the remaining four innings. Reid won the game in the 12th by a clean two-base hit into center field scoring Hayden with no one out. A cold north wind blew during the entire game which made it very disagreeable for the players as well as the spectators.

Summary.—Batteries, Cole, Reid and Hayden. A. Calder and O'Brien; struck out, by Cole 6, by Reid 7, by O'Brien 9; first base on balls, off Cole 6, off Reid, off O'Brien 8; two-base hits, Brown, O'Donnald, Reid; three-base hits, A. Calder 2, Hayden; home run, Watson; stolen bases, Reid 3, O'Donnald, Brown 2, Barney 2, Hayden 2, McDonald, Joyce, A. Calder, Quackenbush 2, Brannery; umpire, Hubbell; time, 2 hr. 45 min.

Mixed.

Mrs. Gadsby—I'll get even with Mrs. Gabbie. Mrs. Gabbie—What has she done to you? Mrs. Gadsby—She told me that Mrs. Guffy wasn't at home, so I hurried over to make a call on her, and she was at home, after all.—Cincinnati Leader.

Friends Now.

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Now, what makes a town big and bustling? Money. Money in circulation. Not in circulation in Chicago, for instance, but right in the town that wants to grow.

How much money have you sent to the big Mail Order houses in the city the past ten years? How much have your neighbors sent? How much have all of you together put out of circulation here at home?

It is probably beyond calculation. If all that money had been spent in your own home town, isn't it reasonable to assume that the town would have grown more than it has grown?

Wouldn't this town be a bigger and better town?

Wouldn't it have more stores to buy your produce?

Wouldn't it have more public improvements to make it more attractive to outsiders who might come here to live, to go into business, or buy your surplus land at a good figure?

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